

Appl. No. 09/844,287  
Amdt. dated November 8, 2005  
Reply to Office Action of 07/13/2005

PATENT

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

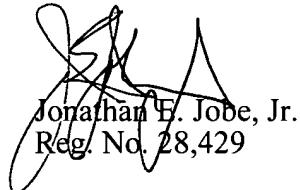
This is in response to the Office Action dated 07/13/2005, in which the Examiner declared claims 1 and 7-14 subject to a restriction and/or election requirement. Claim 1 is generic. Claims 8-14, which depend from claim 7, which depends from claim 1, are directed to a distinct species of the invention of claim 1.

The Applicant elects, without traverse, to prosecute the group consisting of claims 1, 7 and 8.

**CONCLUSION**

The Applicant respectfully submits that the foregoing is fully response to the current Office Action. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 619-379-1172.

Respectfully submitted,



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